"Germany" Schaefer Is Back in Washington Resting From an Attack of Lumbage

NATIONALS LAST IN BATTING AND NEXT TO LAST FIELDING

Hitting But .219, While the Field Mark Is Only .943.

COLLINS LEADING THE WHOLE LEAGUE

Philadelphia Player Is Fifteen Points Ahead of

Last in club batting and next to last in fielding, is the record which the Nationals have made thus far in the American League campaign. The club is hitting but .219, while its fielding mark is

Batting.

Records of all players who have played five or more games up to and including those played on Wednesday,

April 26:

Player—Club. G. AB. 1
E. Collins, Ath... 10 33
Lajole, Cle...... 12 38
Dougherty, Chl.... 11 36
Crawford, Det.... 11 39
Plasterly, Cle..... 12 36 Engle, Bos 10
Austin, St. L. 12
Clarke, St. L. 12
L. Gardner, Bos ... 18 Callahan, Chi......10 Jones, Chi.... HENRY, Was. 9
McBRIDE, Was. 9
Thomas, Ath 6
Blair, N. 7
Zeider, Chi 8
Delehanty, Det 9

Pitchers' Records.

Records of pitchers, including all games up to April 26: Pitchers-Clubs. Ath 2 R. Collins, Bos...... 2

Lively, Det...... Works. Det..... White, Chi 1 1 0 Powell, St. Louis.... 3 2 1 Wood, Bos...... 3 2 1 Falkenberg, Cle..... 2 1 Vaughn, N. Y...... 2 1 Bender, Ath....... 3 M. Witchell, Cle..... 3 Coombs, Ath...... Walsh, Chi.....

Hall, Bos..... Brockett, N. Y..... Cavet Det...... SHERRY, Wash....

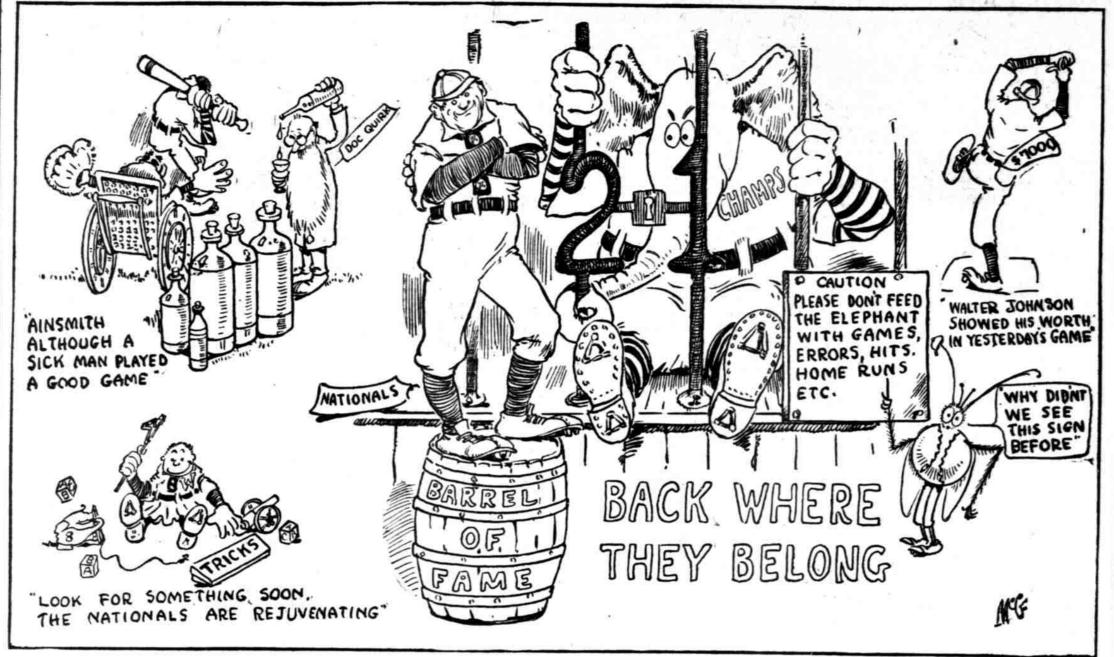
Club Batting

WALKER, Wash...

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| Clubs. | | AB. | R. | H. | 55 | SH | Av. |
| Boston | 10 | 330 | 60 | 93 | 9 | 17 | .282 |
| Detroit | 11 | 349 | 61 | 98 | 17 | 13 | .281 |
| New York | | 302 | 36 | 81 | 14 | 6 | .269 |
| Athletics | 10 | 329 | 42 | 87 | 21 | 10 | .264 |
| St. Louis | 12 | 397 | 54 | 105 | 10 | 13 | .264 |
| Cleveland | 12 | 384 | 48 | 96 | 15 | 16 | .250 |
| Chicago | 11 | 348 | 38 | 80 | 15 | 16 | .238 |
| Washington | | 287 | 28 | 63 | 6 | 7 | .213 |
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| Club | Fi | eldir | ıg. | | | |
|------------|----|-------|-----|----|-----|------|
| Clubs. | G. | PO. | A. | E | TC. | Av. |
| Detroit | 11 | 298 | 146 | 16 | 460 | .965 |
| Cleveland | 12 | 309 | 156 | 18 | 483 | .963 |
| Athletics | | 271 | 123 | 17 | 411 | .959 |
| New York | | 240 | 134 | 21 | 395 | 947 |
| Boston | 10 | 240 | 134 | 21 | 295 | .947 |
| Chicago | | 288 | 152 | 36 | 466 | .944 |
| Washington | | 237 | 126 | 22 | 385 | 943 |
| St. Louis | 12 | 315 | 167 | 31 | 613 | .939 |

Landed Him on the Fourth Trial Out, and "Mac" Pictures the Result DUTCH SCHAEFER



JOHNSON IN FORM AT PHILADELPHIA

Star Twirler Is Himself in Last Game of Series With Athletics and McAleer Is Glad-Grows Better as

Game Progresses.

the champs with "Malaria John" Coombs going in the second time. Come on, you bugs, let's give three long ones for Walter Johnson and Eddie

long ones for Walter Johnson and Eddie Ainsmith, the demon twins, who made it possible for these two tallies and defeat of the White Elephants.

Also it might be added that the Champs will show in the Capital next Thursday. Hurry up and get that

Following is the score of yesterday's

WASHINGTON.
AB.H.O.A.E
Blan.cf... 4 0 0 0 0 Strunk, if... 4 1 3 0

Runs-McBride, Somerlott, Baker. Home run-Baker. Sacrifice hits-Baker and Coombs. Stolen bases Somerlott, Baker, and Murphy. Double plays-Johnson, Somerlott, and Elberfeld; McBride, Ainsmith, Elberfeld, and Cunningham. Left on bases—Washington, 7; Philadelphia, 4. First base on bails-Off Johnson, 2; off Coombs, 4. Struck out-By Johnson, 5; by Coombs, 6. Wild pitch-Johnson. Umpires-Meesrs. Mullen and Connolly. Time of game-1 hour and 45 minutes.

BALTIMORE, April 29.—Real racing in the East begins this afternoon at

Pimlico, under the most flattering aus-pices. The shut-down of the game in

pices. The shut-down of the game in New York has brought Baltimore into the limelight and for the next two weeks the eyes of the racing world will be focused in this direction. All indications now point to the best meeting in the history of the Maryland looker Club.

Jockey Club.

About 600 horses are on the grounds, and they include the finest now in

Bankers' League.

GAME TODAY. Washington Loan vs. Commercial Na-

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS. District National, 10; American Security and Trust, 8.

GROUNDS.

The players of the American Security and Trust team are today aching for another chance at the District Na-

tional team, as they whre soundly beaten yesterday by 10 to 8, in a six-inning game. While the result was in doubt until the last out the Ameri-

doubt until the last out the American Security team is attributing its defeat to overconfidence.

With a four-run lead American Security blew up in the fifth and the District team, taking advantage, ran up seven scores, which were not overcome. American Security outhit the District team at all stages, and but for the wildness of Rawlings, who passed up six men in one inning.

District National..... Commercial National... American Security...... Wash. Loan and Trust .. 0

North diamond, Ellipse

Six Hundred Horses

On Hand at Pimlico

By "SENATOR."

BOSTON, April 22.—Walter Johnson, Somerlot's catch of Davis' pop. He ran prince of huriers, breezed through nine innings yesterday, and never gave the limit of the property of the limit of the property of the limit of the property of the limit of the l White Elephants a chance to do a thing one.
The Nationals are rejuvenated. Never with his benders. He was the real again will the enemy be able to get them on the run. They have humbled Colossus of the mound.

And Eddie Ainsmith, plucky little lad, was there with the hit that won the game. Getting up from a sick bed and pleading with Manager McAleer for a chance to show his class with his old pal, Johnson, he played first class ball, and landed the bingle that sent Mc-Bride and Somerlot across the platter with the two runs that cinched the battle for the Nationals.
Johnson was himself. At first he didn't

look very good, but as the game pro-gressed he assumed all the colors of the rainbow for beauty, and those champeens howed their heads in grief set they went out at first, one after the Want to know about that inning when

Want to know about that inning when, we did it? All right, fans, get ready to yell, to howl, to shrick, for it was a great inning, that seventh. George McBride, our dandy leader, was the first lad to face Jack Coombs, and he waited long enough to receive a donation of the first corner. John Somerlot 0 1.000 remembered that he was in the big
0 1.000 show, and promptly hammered the pill
0 1.000 at Frank Baker. Baker baked it, too,
0 1.000 and there were two on. Bill Cunning0 1.000 ham hit in front of the pan and Paddy
0 1.000 Livingston tossed him out. It was up to
0 1.000 Eddie Aissmith, our hospital patient.

Then Eddie to the Bat. Ainsmith seized his war club and

pranced to the plate. He fouled off a ball and then Umpire Mullen called a strike. Coombs was working the corners, but our husky catcher couldn't be fooled. Then came the ball right over the middle, right near the celery and olives. Ising—wow—what a swat. The pill danced over the second cushion like a rubher ball and Fddie was on his way

a rubber ball and Eddle was on his way to first.

With the crack of the willow McBride hot-footed it for the plate, John Somerloof fiving after him as if with wings on his shoes. Oldring, to make it all the more pronounced, booted the ball and both Nationals were over the pan and Ainsmith slid into the second station feet first safely. The Nationals were ahead to stay ahead.

Johnson was at all times master of the situation, the only run being a homer that Frank Baker lifted over that tright field fence, in the second round. Nine homers have gone over that barrier and Frank has made six of them. After that there was not a thing doing for those swelling champs. Walter buckled down to his task and produced the goods. You know what that means.

means.

Rut, say, the Athletics had oodles of chances. Livingston reached third in the third to see Strunk and Oldring go out on infield swats. Collins thought he'd show up Someriot in the fourth by go-ing to third, as Johnson tossed out Baker, but the Terre Haute lad tied the can on him at third by a quick heave to

Others Who Failed.

In the fifth Murphy and in the sixth Strunk reached that charmed section near Elberfeld, for all the good it did them, and in the seventh Murphy was spiked at the plate and Livingston doubled at second. The catcher drove the pill at McBride, whose toss to Ainsmith got Murphy, running on the line, Elber-feld tagging him. Then the Hessian whipped the pill to Cunningham who walked on Livingston's ear, retiring the

Ainsmith was there with three pretty hits, including the wallop that counted the chickens. For an invalid he was a wonder and no one knew that between innings he used a throat gargle for his sore tonsils. That boy is game all the way through. He caught Johnson superbly, and-well, he proved he had the goods.

John Somerlot hit like Ty Cobb and ran as fast, beating out two pokes to Baker. In the field he was sure of everything and will continue to adorn the sack henceforth till he goes bad. Kid Elberfeld also got in two hits, and he grinned all evening over it.

One of the best bits of fielding was

Games Today.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Detroit at Cleveland.
St. Louis at Chicago. Yesterday's Results.

Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 1. New York, 2; Boston, 1. Detroit, 5; Cleveland, Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Games Today. Chicago at Pittsburg. York at Brooklyn Boston at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at St. Louis.

> Yesterday's Results. New York, 3. dyn, 5; Philadelphia, 0. Pittsburg, 4; Chicago, 3.

Standing of the Clubs. W. L.Pct.
Philadel ..19 3 .759
Pittsburg. 7 4 .657
Chicago... 8 5 .615
Brooklyn... 4 9 .376
New York 7 5 .583
Louis... 3 7 .300

College Results.

At Emmitsburg, Md.—Susquehanna, 3. Mt. St. Mary's, 1. At Manassas, Va.—Eastern Collego, 5; West Virginia, 2.
At Charlottesville, Va.-Virginia, 11;

BOB THAYER'S SPORTING GOSSIP

"EVERY KNOCK IS A BOOST." -

The Georgetown baseball team, which started the season so auspiciously and hen got in a rut from which it has been unable to rise, will make one su-preme effort on Monday when Virvinia is at Georgetown Field.

Disqualifications and lack of time have

robbed the team of a couple of its most valuable members, but Georgetown teams have always been noted as doing their best against Virginia, and therein lies hope for Monday.

ness, when they made their first appear ance for the season in the high school series, should be interfered with as they were by the crowd at Capital Park. were by the crowd at Capital Park.

Under the conditions good baseball was out of the question, and I was not surprised when one of the faculty athletic advisers told me that he favored shifting all of the games rather than attempt to play again under such a handicap.

A high school crowd is always hard to handle, but the lack of seats yesterday made things as bad as they possibly could be. For good of the sport I hope the games in the future will be played either at National Park or Georgetown Field.

Flags fly at Pimlico. The spring meeting at Pimilco this

sents the Maryland Jockey Club here, was telling me today that he has never before known of so much interest here in the races at the Baltimore track. The class of horses is especially good and I look for a most successful meet-

I think Ban Johnson will be well supported when he formally advocates the shortening of the baseball season. From It seems a shame that two teams as well matched as were Central and Business, when they made their first appearance for the season in the light school. The Nationals are all shot to please the feet of the season in the please that two teams as well matched as were Central and Business, when they made their first appearance for the season in the high school.

The Nationals are all shot to pieces as a result of that stay in New York while from nearly every club is coming the wan about colds and sore arms. As much as a real fan likes to see a game he would willingly wait a couple of weeks, as it would mean that teams coming in splendid shape would be able to remain in good condition instead of going to pieces as good as the cold see going to pieces as soon as the cold sec tion is reached.

Bankers League to Meet.

A meeting of the Bankers League has been calledd for 5:30 this afternoon to consider what effect the proposed con-solidation of the Commercial National and National City Banks will have on the baseball situation. It is likely that year promises to be more popular than all games scheduled for the Commercial ever before, so far as Washington is concerned. Harry Price, who reprefor reorganization.

CARE OF PHYSICIAN

Suffering From Lumbago, He Is Sent Back by McAleer.

"I HATED TO LEAVE," SAYS TALL SLUGGER

Will Be Missed Until He Is Able to Play With Team

Suffering from a sever attack of lum bago, "Dutch" Schaefer, of the Wash: ington ball club, is in Washington today under the care of a physician.

After a conference in Philadelphia yesterday, Dr. Morton, told Jim Mc-Aleer that Schaefer would be unable to play for several days, so the manager immediately told the player to come to Washington and remain here until he is able to play.

Cold in Atlanta.

Schaefer caught cold one day in Atlanta, but seemingly had recovered when he returned to Washington. Then when he returned to Washington. Then in one of those cold, windy afternoons of the early days, he caught another cold which settled in his back.

In the first game in New York he nearly collapsed, playing out the battle only on his nerve. But he couldn't go any further, and now he and his tall slugging will be missed for several days.

Hated to Leave Club. "I just hated to leave the club at

"I just hated to leave the club at this time," said Schaefer at the Dewey today, "but I was so shot to pleces that it was impossible for me to last any longer, so Jim sent me back here.
"Those Athletics were just hitting their stride when we reached Philadelphia, and we suffered as a consequence. Our club, however, is still going along in good shape and I thinh we will get the better of the series at Boston."

Minor League Results.

American Association. Minneapolis, 3; Indianapolis, 1. Columbus, 10; Kansas City, 8. Milwaukee, 4; Louisville, 1. St. Paul, 6; Toledo, 4.

Southern League. Atlanta, 8; Nashville, 4.

Mobile, 2; New Orleans, 1.

First game—Montgomery, 4; Birming-ham, 3. Second game—Birmingham, 4;

Montgomery, 1 Memphis, 2; Chattanooga, 1.

South Atlantic League. Columbia-Augusta, postponed; rain. Charleston, 2; Savannah, 1. Columbus, 7; Albany, 2. Macon, 10; Jacksonville, 7.

Virginia State League. Richmond, 5; Norfolk, 1. Danville, 15; Roanoke, 10 Lynchburg, 2: Petersburg.

Eastern League. Buffalo, 10: Newark, 7.
Baltimore, 12: Rochester, 4.
Providence, 9: Toronto, 8.
Jersey City, 2; Montreal, 6.

Carolina League. Greenville, 6; Anderson, 1. Spartanburg, 5; Greensboro, 3, Charlotte, 8; Winston-Salem, 7.

Connecticut League. Bridgeport, 2; Holyoke, 0. Waterbury, 12; Springfield, 5. Northampton, 6; New Britain, 4. Hartford, 10; New Haven, 4.

New England League. Lawrence, 5; Fall River, 3. Worcester, 8; Lowell, 4. Lynn, 4; New Bedford, 3.

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